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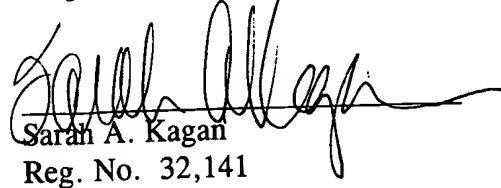
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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, which is filed concurrently herewith,  
Applicant submits a computer diskette containing the sequences of the instant application. It is  
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